Eugene A. Clancy. San Francisco and J. E. Munsey, Salt Lake City both of whom were charged with as sisting in the escape of James B. Mc-Xansara from the seene of his crime at Los Angeles, also received their sen-

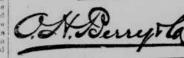
When the court issued a general invitation to any of the men to state that reasons they had, if any, why sentence should not be pronounced. Ryan, too, remained silent.

Steps toward appeals in behalf of all the prisoners, to the United States Circuit Court of Appeals already have been taken. Chester H. Krum, with other counsel, appeared before Judge anderson late to-day to arrange for the filing of writs of errors. This formality may be done to-morrow. Meantime, Mr. Krum said, there was me prospect of procuring liberty for any of the men, through supersedeas bonds. All the prisoners are to go be Leavenworth. What time the special is to carry them there United States Marshal Edward Schmidt refused to state, ds he has been instructed to keep in absolute secrecy the departure and the route of the train. It was said ifforts would be made to take the rain out before to-morrow.

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Leap year does his disappearing act to-night.



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Nine minutes after Anderson, the first man, left the Federal building the entire procession had reached the entrance of the jail, and a few minutes later the jail door had clashed shut behind them.

Hiram Kline, who was released on suspended sentence, mingled with the friends and families of the convicted men in the corridors. He was crying as he bid his former associates farewell.

Compliments Judge.

Murphy, of Detroit, one of the defendants who was released under suspended sentence, said: "Not because he let me go without punishment, but because I think it is due to him, I want to say that a fairer judge never lived than Judge Anderson. I wish all the judges in this country were like Judge Anderson."

Any minimum which meant liberty through suspended sentence to a maxi-

efforts would be made to take the trada out before to-morrow.

Less than twenty minutes was required by the court in the work of actually imposing sentences, although for an hour and a half before that time Judge Anderson invited each prisoner to step up and talk with him as to his degree of guilt.

The scene was unusual. The prisoners had been arranged three rows deep, each being seated in alphabetical arrangement. In front sat a dozen interneys for the defense, whose motions for setting aside the verdicts, and for arrests of judgments, all were coats will be a warm friend qu that homeward trip in the cold gray dawn, homeward trip in the cold gray dawn, someward trip in the cold gray dawn, some fisoners. There were several hundred ersons in the roots, but one voice only was heard at a time. That was he judges voice, or the voice of a risoner, who had stepped forward is plead for mercy.

Judge Anderson."

Any minimum which meant liberty through suspended sentence to a maximum of thirty-nine and one-half years were the limitations on the amount of punishment which the court had discretion to inflict.

Clark's suspension of punishment, after he had pleaded guilty to the charges here, but he was brought here can will be a warm friend qu that charges here, but he was prisoner of Los Angeles in connection with further investigation there. The fact that Clark received a significant in possibly presaging leniency toward McManigal.

McManigal, however, confessed personally to causing twenty-one explo-

one.

Ryan became the head of the Iron Workers' Union several years ago, succeeding Frank Buchanan, now a member of Congress. By virtue of office in the union Ryan later became second vice-president of the building trades department of the American Federation of Labor. While his residence is Chicago, he seldom has been there, on account of his travels about the country on union business.

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UNDER HOT FIRE



News of South Richmond

READY FOR PARCELS POST

Miss Holden to Have Charge of New Department—Christmas Rush Over.
Beginning to-morrow morning, the Manchester station of the Post-office will receive packages for transmission by parcels post. The new system goes into effect throughout the entire country at that time. The Southside office will not be increased at present, although it is expected that many of the business men will take advantage of the cheap rates to nearby points.

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Miss Clara Holden, who now has charge of the stamp and general delivery window, will also be in charge of the new department. It is thought that the growth of the parcels post system will warrant the employment of additional clerks and carriers within a short time.

The holday rush, as far as this office is concerned, is about over. The extra clerks and carriers who were detailed from the main office, have returned to their regular duties.

HEARS DAMAGE SUIT

Court Adjourned Unit To-Day,

Evidence in the personal injury suit
of Zack Voleski, king of newsboys,
who is seeking damages in the sum
d of \$3,000 from the Virginia Railway
and Power Company, was heard before
Judge Ernest H. Wells, yesterday in
Hustings Court, Pari II. Thirty witnesses were examined. The hearing
lasted all day, court adjourning at 6
o'clock this morning.
Volesk, is represented by Attorneys
O'Flaherty and Fuiton. He alleges
that he was thrown from his wagon
when it was struck by a street car,
and Gaims to have received paintul
and permanent injuries. The defendant company is represented by Attorneys T. P. Bryan and Willis C. Pulliam.

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Tucaday; Wednesday unsettled.

Special Local Data for Vesterday.
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Hall—Epps.

A quiet but pretty marriage was celebrated last night, when, in the partors of the Rev Frank W. Long, pastor of the Cowardin Avenue Christian Church, Miss Ruth Ethel Epps, of 104 East Fourth Street, became the wife of Herbert R. Hall, of Oak Grove, After a short wedding trip, Mr. and Mrs. Hall will make their home in Oak Grove,

Finds His Missing Tools.

After z Stite search, in which the aid of the police was sought, T. H. Spears, a plumber, employed at the Decatur Street Methodist Church, now under construction, yesterday succeeded in locating a kit of tools, which were thought to have been stolen. The implements had been taken by mistake by an express driver. They are now in Philadelphia, but will be shipped back at once.

Mrs. Garrett, of 35 Midiothian Turnpike, yesterday reported the theft of a bleycle, which was taken from the porch of her home Saturday.

At Meade Memorial Caurea.
Watch night services will be held
to-night at H:30 o'clock in the Meade
to-night at El:30 o'clock in the Meade
E. Enast Warren, assisted by Rev. E.
E. Osgood, rector of the Immanuel
Episcopal Church at Brook Hill, Henrico County.

A Christmas entertainment will also be held to-night in the West End Meth-odist Church.

PRICE OF GAS The Name Stands

Finance Committee Finds Large Sums Needed to Rehabilitate Works.

WILL HAVE INSPECTION TOUR THE

Shelton Says Present Service Would Not Be Tolerated From Private Concern.

Reduction in the price of gas, which

of a snag last night when the Council Committee on Finance gave it serious figures, showing a book profit on the present rate of 90 cents, were picked to pieces, the Superintendent of the works admiting that the works needed \$150,000 for rehabilitation, and the Gas Inspector stating that the service what would be required were the franation. After hearing from the ch on Light, which had recommended to the Council a reduction from 90 to 75 cents, and after asking many pertinent questions of the superintendent and inspector, the committee took the matter up in executive seasion, and after consideration, on motion of Mr. Grimes, directed that the present Finance Committee, which technically expires to-night, but which will be reappointed with the addition of two more members, recommend to the new Committee on Finance that it extend an invitation to the members of the present Committee on Light and to the members of the Administrative Board to make an inspection trip covering the gas plant and works, in order that all parties may be informed concerning the improvements requested by the superintendent of the Gas Works, amounting to approximately \$150,000, the date of such inspection to be fixed by the chairman of the new Committee on Finance. Large Sums Needed.

Large Sums Needed.

The hearing went thoroughly over the ground, members of the committee taking a lively interest and asking many questions as to obscure points. While it seemed to be apparent that for the last few years gas has been sold by the city at an apparent profit—that is to say that the receipts have exceeded the expenditures—it was also brought out that recommendations of the superintendent for years past for improvements, replacements, new mains, new service connections, and other repairs have been ignored. past for improvements, replacements, new mains, new service connections, and other repairs have been ignored. Mr. Knowles said he would like to see a reduction, but not if it meant a depreciation of the plant. He considered it the first duty of the city to maintain its standard of efficiency, and to increase the capacity of the works from time ti time, saying that all such charges should be borne by bond issue or else that all profits from the operation of the Gas Works at the present rate should be set apart for improvements and extensions until such time that the surplus will justify a decrease.

a decrease.

Inspector Shelton was even more outspoken in regard to the necessity for maintaining the standard of efficiency. The city was not rendering first-class service, he maintained, not having proper holders and valves to regulate supply, resulting in insufficient pressure in some sections where there are house connections as large as the street main, and in over-pressure in other sections of the city, where gas whistles through the burners, producing poor thumination and running up the meters to an unwarranted extent.

No Attempt to Increase Sales.

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Sues for Large Many houses are supplied through insufficient mains, with bad service connections, and the force allowed the works is not sufficient to replace them.

Negro Shoots His Wife.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

Covardin Avenue, between McDonough and Semmes Streets, it has depth of ninety feet. The consideration was placed at \$176.

Delayed Work Regiss.

After nearly four months' delay congulactors yesterday began the preparatory work of laying the conrete walkway from the main entrance of the courthouse. In Washington ark, to Hull Street. This walk was orgotten when the others were put a although it is the one most used.

To Elect Officers.

Liberty Council, No. 13, Jr. O. F. Berry Council, No. 15, Jr. O.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Harrisonburs. Va., December 20.—
William Weiner, a recent student of V.
P. I., Blacksburg, has been elected captain of the Harrisonburg Guards to succeed Robert Eastham, who resigned to accept a Beutenancy in the United States Army on the Mexican border. Charles Gardner was elected first Heutenant of the Guards to take Weiner's place.

Personal Mention.

S. N. and Frank Morris, of South
Boston, are visiting charles T. Morris,
Mrs. William Bland, of Cask Hill,
Maryland, is visiting her sister, Mrs.
Call, of Swansboro.
Captain A. S. Wright and Officer W.
E. Newman, of the Tuird District, are off duty as a result of an attack of grip. Officer R. L. Donnivant is confined to his home with rheumatism,

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apprised of such mass-meeting, or has been present, and they were quite sure that it did not represent the wishes either of the population on Fulton Hill, now without ear service, or of the mer-chants along those streets, the roadbed of which will be entirely taken up by double track car lines.



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